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Office Memorandum

Sub: Implementation of the recommendations of the Sixth Central Pay Commission on pension - Payment of revised benefits - revision of the format of Pension payment Order and Special Seal Authority.

As a sequel to the acceptance of the recommendations of the Sixth Central Pay Commission by the Government of India, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare have issued orders revising the pensionary entitlements in respect of the Central Government pensioners including those who had already retired prior to 1-1-2006. Consequent on the issue of these orders certain changes have been made in the existing format of the Pension Payment Order (PPO) so as to provide the information required by the pension disbursing authorities for disbursement of pension etc.(vide Correction slip no. 1 to Civil Accounts Manaul-2008 Edition). The revised format of PPO is available on the website of Controller General of Accounts. All Principal CCAs/ CAs are requested to bring this to the notice of all their field units so that the revised format of PPO may be used in all the future cases. With a view to facilitating speedy settlement of pension, it has been decided that in cases where pension/ family pension is to be drawn through an authorized bank, the BSR code relevant to that particular paying branch should be mentioned in the Pension Payment Order. The BSR code numbers are available at the website of the Central Pension Accounting Office.

- 2. All Pr. CCAs/ CCAs/ CAs are also requested to instruct their field units to indicate on the right hand top corner of the authority whether it is a <u>"Pre-2006 case"</u> or <u>Post-2006 case</u>" so as to enable the Central Pension Accounting Office to segregate the cases.
- These instructions may please be brought to the notice of all their Pay & Accounts Offices for information and compliance.

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- Comptroller and Auditor General of India (5 copies) for issuing instructions to all Accountants General.
- Joint Secretary (Personnel), Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
- Director of Accounts, Cabinet Sectt. East Block IV, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.
- 4. Secretary, (Pay & Accounts) UT of Administration of Lakshadweep, Kavaratti.
- Director of Accounts, UT Administration of Daman & Diu, Moti Daman.
- Director of Accounts & Budget, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Administration, Port Blair – 744101.
- 7. Sr. Dy. Accountant General, O/o AG (Audit), AGCR Building, New Delhi.
- 8. PAO, Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha/President's Secretariat/Election Commission.
- PAO, Govt. Link Cell, Office of the CGA, Ministry of Finance, (Expenditure), 1st Floor, New Sectt. Building, Opp. VCA grounds, Civil Lines, Nagpur.
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- 11. All Sections of Office of CGA.

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